मध्य प्रदेश में उद्योगों की स्थापना

6420. श्री दिलीप सिंह जूदेव: क्या प्रधान मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) गत तीन वर्षों के दौरान, मध्य प्रदेश सरकार ने राज्य में नई औद्योगिक इकाइयां स्थापित करने के लिए केन्द्रीय सरकार को कितने प्रस्ताव भेजे हैं;

(ख) उसका ब्यौरा क्या है;

(ग) सरकार ने अब तक कितने प्रस्तावों को अपनी स्वीकृति प्रदान की है;

(घ) किन-किन जिलों में स्वीकृत औद्योगिक इकाइयां स्थापित की जाएंगी; और

(ङ) यदि नहीं, तो उसके क्या कारण हैं?

उद्योग मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्रीमती कृष्णा साही): (क) से (ङ) वर्ष 1991 से 1994 के दौरान, मध्य प्रदेश राज्य कृषि उद्योग विकास निगम लिमिटेड से गुना जिले में एक चीनी एकक स्थापित करने के लिए एक आवेदन प्राप्त हुआ था।

यह निर्णय लिया गया है कि फिलहाल चीनी के विनिर्माण के लिए कोई औद्योगिक लाइसेंस प्रदान न किया जाए। इसलिए इस क्षेत्र के लिए प्राप्त आवेदनों पर इस समय कोई प्रक्रिया नहीं की जा रही है।

Investment in Industrial Sectors in Uttar Pradesh

6421. SHRI SANJAY DALMIA:
MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the total Central investment in Industrial Sectors of Uttar Pradesh during each of the three years; and

(b) the allocation made for the purpose during the Eighth Five Year Plan for Uttar Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) The total investment in terms of gross block in Central Public Sector Enterprises in the State of Uttar Pradesh at the end of 1991-92, 1992-93 and 1993-94 stood at Rs. 14430 crores, Rs. 14935 crores and Rs. 16036 crores respectively.

(b) The allocation made for State of Uttar Pradesh during 8th Five Year Plan in the Central Sector in respect of large and medium industries amounts to Rs. 29150 lakhs.

Dumping of pet toxic bottles in India

6422. SHRI SANJAY DALMIA:
MAULANA OBAIDULLAH KHAN AZMI:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether some multinational companies are dumping toxic pet bottles into India for use after recycling;

(b) if so, the names of such companies;

(c) the quantum of pet bottles dumped into India during the last one year;

(d) the punitive steps taken against those companies; and

(e) the action taken to check this?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SMT. KRISHNA SAHI): (a) Ministry of Commerce have stated that Designated Authority have not received any petition alleging the dumping of toxic pet bottles.

(b) to (e) Do not arise.

Safeguards required by Indian Drug Industry

6423. SHRI G.Y. KRISHNAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indian drug industry wants adequate safeguards before Government grants exclusive marketing rights to patent holders of drugs originating in foreign countries;

(b) if so, Government's reaction thereto; and

(c) the nature of safeguards Government propose to provide during the 10-year transition period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SMT. KRISHNA SAHI): (a) to (c) The Indian Drugs Sector has requested for providing certain safeguards in the revised patent law before grant of exclusive marketing rights (EMRs). In the Patents (Amendment) Bill, 1995 Government has provided the following safeguards in the public interest:—

(i) Before exclusive marketing rights are granted, the application is to be examined to ensure that there is no 'primafacie' violation of existing provisions of the Patents Act, 1970.

(ii) The Government could, either on its own or through any authorised person, assume the marketing rights in public interest. Also, the Government would have the powers to fix the prices for the items for which EMRs are granted.

(iii) Provisions of compulsory licensing have also been extended to EMRs.

Demand of cement in the Country

6424. SHRI GOPALSINH G. SOLANKI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the approximate demand of cement in the country by 2000 AD and the projections made till then;

(b) whether there is a need to increase the production of cement during this period; and

(c) if so, the proposal mooted by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SMT. KRISHNA SAHI): (a) to (c) The Planning Commission has projected demand of cement by the year 1999-2000 at 87 million tonnes. The projection for 1996-97, the terminal year of the Eighth Plan, is 76 million tonnes. The cement industry has been de-licensed. Although the Central Government itself has no intentions for seting up any cement plant, the industry is capable of meeting the demand fully, keeping in view the present growth rate of 8% per annum.

Small scale Industries In the country

6425. SHRI RAJ NATO SINGH:
SHRIMATI MALTI SHARMA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what is the latest number of small scale industries in the country, State-wise, and when the last census was held;

(b) whether Government keeps an account of sick small units, if so, the details thereof including the criteria fixed for the survey of such sick industries;

(c) whether it is a fact that in Thane district of Maharashtra about 70 per cent of small scale units are not registered, if so, the reasons therefor and the number of such unregistered units, State-wise; and

(d) in what manner these unregistered units get attention and protection of Government policies?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) Total number of Small Scale Units registered with Directorates of Industries in States/UTs as on 31st December, 1993 was 17,72,485. Statewise details are given in statement. *(See* below)

Last Census of registered Small Scale Industries was conducted for the reference year 1987-88 and the units registered upto 31st March, 1988 were covered.